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Math 131

Exam 2

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7:00-9:00 p.m.

### Instructions

- **Turn off all cell phones and watch alarms!** Put away iPods, etc.
- There are nine (9) questions.
- Do all work in this exam booklet. You may continue work to the backs of pages and the blank page at the end, but if you do so indicate where.
- Do **not** use a calculator, reference materials, or paper other than a booklet.
- Organize your work in an unambiguous order. Show all necessary steps.
- **Answers given without supporting work may receive 0 credit!**
- Be ready to show your UMass ID card when you hand in your exam booklet.

QUESTION	PER CENT	SCORE
1	11	
2	11	
3	11	
4	11	
5	11	
6	11	
7	11	
8	11	
9	11	
Free	1	1
TOTAL	100	

#1. Find the derivatives of the following functions. You do NOT need to simplify your answer.

(a) (3 points)  $f(x) = 2x^3 + \frac{1}{2x^3} + 2(3^x) + 2(3^{-1})$ .

(b) (4 points)  $g(x) = \frac{\cos(5x)}{5 - e^{5x}}$

(c) (4 points)  $h(x) = \sqrt{x^{-3} \sec(x)}$

#2. Let  $A$  be the area of a circle and let  $r$  be its radius. At a certain instant,  $A = 36\pi$  square meters and  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 9$  square meters per second.

(a) (6 points) Find  $\frac{dr}{dt}$  at this instant. Your answer may involve the number  $\pi$ .

(b) (5 points) Let  $P$  be the circumference of the circle. Find  $\frac{dP}{dt}$  at this instant. Your answer may involve the number  $\pi$ .

#3. Consider the curve  $x^2 + (y - 1)^3 = 9$ .

(a) (6 points) Use implicit differentiation to find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . Your answer may be an expression involving  $x$  and  $y$ .

(b) (5 points) Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve at the point where  $x = 1$ .

#4. Let  $f(x) = \ln((x - 3)^4 + 16)$  .

(a) (6 points) Find all the critical numbers of  $f(x)$ .

(b) (5 points) Find the absolute maximum and minimum of  $f(x)$  on the interval  $[2,5]$ . Your answer may use logarithms.

#5.

(a) (6 points) Let  $f(x) = x^{77} + 77x^{50} + 50$ .

Is there a number  $c$  in the interval  $(40, 41)$  such that the *instantaneous* rate of change of  $f$  with respect to  $x$  at  $c$  is equal to the *average* rate of change of  $f(x)$  with respect to  $x$  over the interval  $[40, 41]$ ? Justify your answer by citing any relevant theorems and why they apply.

(b) (5 points) Let  $g(x) = x^2$ . Suppose that the conclusion of the Mean Value Theorem is satisfied for  $g(x)$  by  $c = 3$  and the interval  $[2, b]$ . What is the value of  $b$ ?

#6. Element X and Element Y are two different radioactive elements. A sample of each element decays at a rate proportional to the amount of mass in the sample. The decay rates for Element X and Element Y are not the same.

(a) (6 points) A sample of Element X has an initial mass of 10 grams. After exactly 20 days the sample has a mass of 5 grams. Find an expression for the mass  $m(t)$  of the sample after  $t$  days. Your answer may involve logarithms and the number  $e$ .

(b) (5 points) A sample of Element Y takes exactly 30 days to decay from  $m_0$  grams to  $\frac{m_0}{3}$  grams. Find how long it would take for a sample of Element Y to decay from  $m_0$  grams to  $\frac{m_0}{4}$  grams, or state that more information is needed to solve the problem. Justify your answer. Your answer may involve logarithms and the number  $e$ .

#7. (14 points) A table of values for the the functions  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  and their first two derivatives is given below. You may assume that  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  and their first two derivatives exist at all real numbers. Justify your answers.

$x$	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$f''(x)$	$g(x)$	$g'(x)$	$g''(x)$	$h(x)$	$h'(x)$	$h''(x)$
1	4	8	7	8	4	6	9	3	5
2	6	5	3	1	3	2	9	2	-5
3	1	4	-8	2	1	3	2	1	0

(a) (3 points) Let  $P(x) = f(x)g(x)h(x)$ . Find  $P'(1)$ .

(b) (4 points) Let  $Q(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ . Find  $Q''(2)$ .

(c) (4 points) Let  $R(x) = g(h(x))$ . Find  $R'(3)$ .



#8.

(a) (6 points) Let  $f(x) = (\sin x)^{\cos x}$ . Use logarithmic differentiation to find  $f'(x)$  as a function of  $x$ . You do NOT need to simplify your answer.

(b) (5 points) Let  $g(x) = \arctan(1 + \tan(x))$ . Find  $g'(x)$ . You do NOT need to simplify your answer.

#9. Let  $f(x) = \sin(\pi x)$ .

(a) (6 points) Find the linearization  $L(x)$  of  $f(x)$  at the point  $a = \frac{1}{6}$ . Your answer may involve the number  $\pi$  and square roots.

(b) (5 points) Use your answer in part (a) to find an approximate value for  $\sin(\frac{\pi}{12})$ . Your answer may involve the number  $\pi$  and square roots.

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